

# The Butler & Jewell Co.



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Gift of

*J. Horace McFarland Co.*

Harrisburg, Penna.

May 1957

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The  
Cromwell  
Nursery



Cluster of  
*Nymphaea Dahlias*



## CROMWELL, MIDDLESEX COUNTY, CONN.

1884

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# The Butler & Jewell Co.

INCORPORATED 1898.

*Four Farms—One Management.*

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## DIRECTORS.

GEORGE S. BUTLER	. . .	President and Manager.
CHARLES A. JEWELL	. . .	Treas. Jewell Belting Co.
EDWARD S. COE	. . .	Pres. J. & E. Stevens Co.

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## REFERENCES.

The Mercantile Agencies.

City Bank of Hartford.

Postmaster and Town Officers of Cromwell; and

### OUR CUSTOMERS THROUGHOUT THE UNITED STATES

They have steadily increased during the last sixteen years. There is hardly a town in Connecticut where our trees and plants are not growing. You can surely find a patron of ours among your friends.

# To Our Patrons

**We shall continue** our policy of pushing tested varieties of fruits and ornamental stock at fair prices, rather than trying to force untried novelties *because the margin of profit is greater.*

**We grow the best stock possible:** the only stock which is fit to buy and set. *Buy your culls elsewhere; ours are in ashes!*

**We describe varieties as they behave** with us in our fields and orchards. Our experience as commercial growers is always at your service. If we cannot answer your questions we will be frank enough to say, "We don't know."

**Our Catalogue** may not be as brilliant in the wit of its text, as gay in its coloring, as lengthy in its descriptions, or as large as those many competitors put forth, but we defy any one to find a dishonest statement, either within or on its covers.

**We would be pleased** to have our customers examine our stock before buying, when possible. THE STATE INSPECTOR'S CERTIFICATE of freedom from disease is furnished, if desired.

**We guarantee** all goods true to label, and will hold ourselves responsible to the full price of goods should it prove otherwise. WE EMPLOY ONLY INTELLIGENT HELP, who can read and talk United States. If we did not we could not make the above guarantee.

**A Premium on Early Orders.**—It will be a great help to us to have our orders in early, and although our prices are so low that we cannot offer very great inducements, we have decided to allow OUR CUSTOMERS, WHOSE ORDERS (with remittance) ARE RECEIVED PRIOR TO MARCH 10 to select 5 PER CENT ADDITIONAL STOCK FREE.

**No Substitution.**—When we cannot supply the variety ordered, we will refund the money, unless requested to substitute some other variety.

**At prices named,** goods are carefully packed in moss and straw, well baled or boxed, and delivered to forwarders, after which our responsibility ceases, except for errors in filling, which *must be reported within five days after receipt of goods, to admit of adjustment.*

**Orders amounting to \$10** will be delivered at any freight station in Connecticut without additional expense. Special figures on large orders. TERMS CASH.

**How far do we ship?** Just as far as we have orders to go. But the farther you live from us the earlier you should have your goods shipped, as after growth begins plants should not be out of the ground any longer than possible.

**Plants are shipped same day they are dug.** Any one who has had any experience in setting plants knows what an advantage this is.

**Six plants at dozen rates,** 50 at 100 rates, and 500 at 1,000 rates. Berry plants mailed free at dozen rates. All large orders by express or freight at purchaser's expense.

**Note especially** that the prices of Strawberry plants do not apply during July, August and September. The digging of plants at this season is much more expensive, and means the destruction of innumerable young plants. During the summer we positively cannot afford to dig into our beds for any such prices. Summer price-list on application.

Money Order, Telegraph, **THE BUTLER & JEWELL CO.,**  
Express and Freight  
Offices, Cromwell, Conn. Cromwell, Conn.

# STRAWBERRIES.

(P) denotes pistillate varieties; (B) bi-sexual or perfect-flowering ones.

**Arnaut.** (B.) Similar to Parker Earle, of which it is said to be a seedling. Said to be even more productive than its parent, and much healthier. Not fruited here yet. 25 cts. per doz., 75 cts. per 100, \$4 per 1,000.



*Bismarck.*

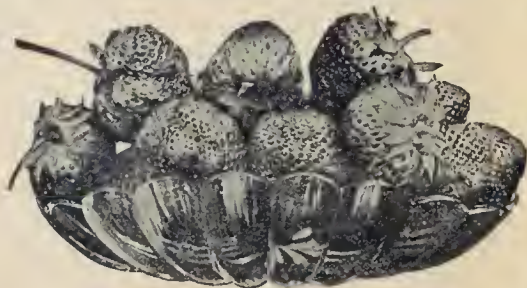
**Bismarck.** (B.) A seedling of Bubach. Plant much stronger, healthier and more productive. Fruit about same size as its parent, but much firmer, more regular in form and uniform in size. We consider it our very best market variety, and advise our customers to give it a trial, both for market and home use. Quality very good. Midseason. 25 cts. per doz., 50 cts. per 100, \$3 per 1,000.

**Brandywine.** (B.) A very promising variety, which has been quite generally tested and has given

almost universal satisfaction. Plant vigorous, large, healthy, hardy and productive. Berries large, late, roundish conical, regular, uniform in size, handsome in color, and excellent in quality. Popular for home use or market. 25c. per doz., 50c. per 100, \$3 per 1,000.

**Bubach.** (P.) This is a beautiful, large and productive early variety. No other variety as large is so early and productive. Too soft for long shipment, but is a fine variety for near markets. While a vigorous grower and a remarkably robust and healthy plant, it makes but few runners, and consequently those who offer true stock must ask a higher price than for other well known varieties. 25 cts. per doz., 50c. per 100, \$3 per 1,000.

**Carrie.** (P.) A seedling of Haverland, which it resembles. 25 cts. per doz., \$1 per 100.



*Brandywine.*



## STRAWBERRIES, continued.

**Clyde.** (B.) Very vigorous grower and exceedingly strong plant. A prodigious bearer of good sized, sweetish berries, that will sell readily if not too light-colored and soft, a fault which we fear when the plant is grown in heavy matted rows on light soil. 25 cts. per doz., 50 cts. per 100, \$3 per 1,000.

**Gandy.** (B.) The popular, standard late market berry, always commanding fancy prices. 25 cts. per doz., 50 cts. per 100, \$4 per 1,000.

**Glen Mary.** (B.) A fine, large, late berry of excellent quality, good color and shape, and quite productive. Last season this variety took top price over all competitors of its season. 25 cts. per doz., 50 cts. per 100, \$3 per 1,000.

**Haverland.** (P.) This variety is unsurpassed in productiveness. Fruit large, long and attractive. Plant vigorous; berries light in color and poor in quality. 25c. per doz., 50c. per 100, \$3 per 1,000.

**Hayes.** (B.) This is the best fertilizer for Haverland we have tried, being similar in size, shape, and color; not as productive, but of better quality. 25 cts. per doz., 50 cts. per 100, \$3 per 1,000.

**Hunn.** (B.) Late, firm, round, productive. Originated at New York Experiment station. 25 cts. per doz., 75 cts. per 100, \$5 per 1,000.

**Mehlman.** (B.) A very desirable late variety, but quite inclined to rust. 25 cts. per doz., 75 cts. per 100, \$4 per 1,000.

**Nick Ohmer.** (B.) A fine, thrifty plant, producing berries of fine size and appearance. If it proves productive, it will be valuable. 25 cts. per doz., \$1 per 100, \$6 per 1,000.



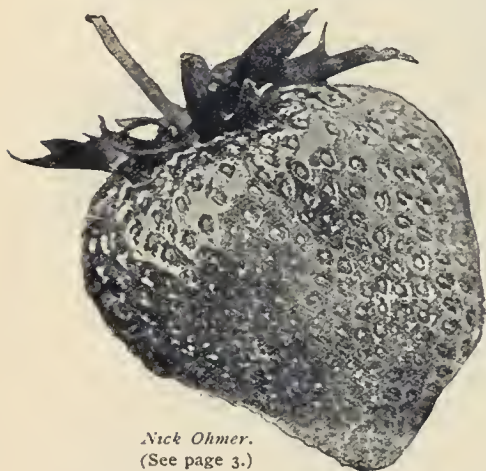
Clyde.



Glen Mary.

## STRAWBERRIES, continued.

**Ridgeway. (B.)** An extremely vigorous and healthy plant. We are greatly pleased with the fruit produced on spring-set



*Nick Ohmer.*  
(See page 3.)

plants, but as we dug our entire stock last season for plants, have had no opportunity to fruit it fairly. Very promising. 25 cts. per doz., 75 cts. per 100, \$4 per 1,000.

**Rio. (B.)** Our largest and most productive very early berry. Nothing of its season equals it. Firm, of good color and quality. 25 cts. per doz., 50 cts. per 100, \$3 per 1,000.

**Sample. (P.)** So much has been said about this berry that we will refrain from adding anything more until we have given it a full and fair trial. We have

plenty of plants of our own growing, if any of our customers care to test it. 25 cts. per doz., \$1 per 100, \$8 per 1,000.

**Seaford. (B.)** Variety shows health and vigor. Said to be early, large, four times as productive as Bubach, a good shipper, of good color and quality, and to bring extremely high prices. We hope it will fulfil the claims made for it, especially the last one, as we are greatly in need of such a Strawberry at the present time. 25c. per doz., \$1 per 100.

**Sharpless. (B.)** This old standard variety maintains its high place in public estimation on account of its large size and splendid market qualities. On strong land it is often very profitable. 25c. per doz., 50c. per 100, \$3 per 1,000.

**Star. (B.)** A very promising Ohio berry. Plant vigorous and very healthy. Not fruited here



*Rio.*

## STRAWBERRIES, continued.

yet. Said to be very large, of fine quality, extremely productive, to mature all its berries in a dry season, and sell for an extra price—in fact, to be superior in every point to the standard market varieties. We are favorably impressed with its behavior thus far. 25 cts. per doz., 75 cts. per 100, \$5 per 1,000.

**Tennessee.** (B.) A grand, good berry of Haverland type. Vigorous plant, very productive of exceedingly bright, showy fruit. Size, quality and form very good. Succeeds well everywhere, and will undoubtedly be popular as a market variety. 25 cts. per doz., 50 cts. per 100, \$3 per 1,000.

WHAT OUR CUSTOMERS THINK OF OUR PLANTS,  
PACKING, ETC.


## VERMONT.

Sept. 28, 1899.

*Dear Sirs:* I am pleased to acknowledge the receipt of strawberry plants in good order; but your count was most abominable! Think of a net aggregate of 1,542 plants when only 1,300 were ordered! I will stand it this time, but you can't expect every customer to be as well pleased with a **miscount of 242 plants**. Thank you for all favors, and expect me to come again.

Very sincerely,

C. D. WHITMAN.

 Mr. Whitman is a customer of several years' standing.

## NEW JERSEY.

*Dear Sirs:* Plants received in good condition; am very well pleased with them. **The packing for shipment was perfect.**

Yours respectfully,

W. W. CLARK.

## RHODE ISLAND.

*Dear Sirs:* I received the plants and trees in good condition and am well pleased with them. Yours truly,

C. A. BROWNING.

## NEW HAMPSHIRE.

*Dear Sirs:* The strawberry plants came in good condition. They look fine, and if they prove as good as they look we shall be more than satisfied, and you may expect further orders.

A. L. FITCH.

## MAINE.

May 20, 1899.

*Dear Sirs:* Please accept my thanks for the prompt and liberal manner in which you filled my order of May 15. Plants arrived in good condition before I expected them. I am going to place an order for considerable stock next spring and will not forget you. I am, yours truly,

W. P. FERRIS.

## LONG ISLAND, N. Y.

*Dear Sirs:* I received those strawberry plants I ordered in good condition and was more than pleased. Think they will all live. I shall always send to you for plants in the future. Yours respectfully,

MRS. H. LOPER.

## MASSACHUSETTS.

*Dear Sirs:* I am more than pleased to find **one plant man** who puts up goods in **my style**, and I shall keep this in mind for future reference.

Very truly,

E. S. YOUNG.

*Dear Sirs:* Strawberry plants received nice and fresh. Many thanks.

Yours truly,

J. R. COLTON.

## CONNECTICUT.

Apr. 25, 1899.

*Dear Sirs:* Enclosed find money order for \$6.88 for list of plants enclosed. I have spent some time drumming up trade here for you, as I believe you are the best men in the country in the strawberry plant business. You give **no fancy pictures but honest goods**. I dealt with you once and feel pleased to do so again. This is no taffy, but facts.

GEO. C. SPOONER.

*Phoenix.*

## RED RASPBERRIES.

**Cuthbert.** Large, late. The favorite in market, the standard ; productive. 50 cts. per doz., \$1 per 100, \$8 per 1,000.

**Golden Queen.** A yellow Cuthbert. 50c. per doz., \$1 per 100.

**Loudon.** Did remarkably well with us when first introduced, but the past two seasons it has not equaled the old Cuthbert. 50 cts. per doz., \$2 per 100, \$12 per 1,000.

**Marlboro.** Probably the best of the early reds, but in many localities does not do well. 50c. per doz., \$1 per 100, \$8 per 1,000.

**Phoenix.** This seems to be a very superior early red variety, surpassing all the old varieties in size, firmness, and productiveness. As a money-maker, it surpasses even Cuthbert and Loudon. 50 cts. per doz., \$1.50 per 100, \$12 per 1,000.

**Shaffer (Purple).** Large, rich, productive. Best of its class. Excellent for home use or canning, but soft for a market berry. 50 cts. per doz., \$2 per 100.

**Thompson's.** Early, prolific, but not so large or bright as Marlboro. 50 cts. per doz., \$1 per 100, \$7 per 1,000.

### Mistakes.

We make them, although they are guarded against most carefully, and we are pleased to rectify them.



*Cumberland.*

## BLACK RASPBERRIES.

**Cumberland.** Last season we fruited this grand new black-cap quite largely. We find it all the introducers claim for it. The fruit sold readily last season at an average of 3 cents per quart above Kansas, Gregg, and similar varieties. The berries are very large, jet black, of finest texture and quality; quite distinct from any other variety now in general cultivation. As soon as this variety is generally known, it will be largely planted. We have sold 10,000 plants for spring delivery to one party, who has thoroughly investigated its good qualities. In season it is about with Kansas, but blacker, finer seeded, and superior in flavor. 75 cts. per doz., \$3 per 100, \$25 per 1,000.

**Conrath.** A popular, productive and hardy variety from Michigan. Similar to Kansas in size and color, and a few days earlier. 50 cts. per doz., \$1 per 100, \$7 per 1,000.

**Cromwell.** The earliest blackcap. Ripens its crop in a short time. Not as productive as Palmer. 50 cts. per doz., \$1 per 100, \$8 per 1,000.

**Eureka.** Similar to Conrath and Kansas in size and color, but very distinct in flavor. 50c. per doz., \$1.50 per 100, \$10 per 1,000.

**Gregg.** Too well known to need description. Not perfectly hardy, but popular in market, and often quite profitable. 50 cts. per doz., \$1.50 per 100, \$7 per 1,000.

**Hilborn.** Mid-season, jet black, productive and profitable. 50 cts. per doz., \$1 per 100, \$7 per 1,000.



*Kansas Raspberry.*

**BLACK RASPBERRIES, continued.**

**Kansas.** Large as Gregg, jet black, medium early, perfectly hardy, and of excellent quality. Plant a most vigorous grower and an abundant bearer. A very desirable, popular and profitable variety both for the home garden and market. 50 cts. per doz., \$1 per 100, \$7 per 1,000.

**Lotta.** A strong growing variety of Gregg type. Not fruited here yet. 50 cts. per doz., \$1.50 per 100.

**Mills.** A promising variety from New York state; of Gregg type, but earlier and hardier. Large, sweet and productive. 50 cts. per doz., \$1.50 per 100, \$8 per 1,000.

**Munger.** Of Gregg type, but said to excel that variety in size, hardiness, color, firmness, lateness, health and vigor. We are pleased with its growth, and hope it will fulfil some of the modest claims made for it. 50 cts. per doz., \$2 per 100.

**Nemaha.** Practically identical with Gregg in fruit, but hardier in plant. 50 cts. per doz., \$1.50 per 100, \$10 per 1,000.

**Palmer.** The popular and profitable early market blackcap. Perfectly hardy and healthy; early, good size and quality, and very productive of jet black berries. 50 cts. per doz., \$1 per 100, \$7 per 1,000.



*New Blackberry, Mersereau.*

## BLACKBERRIES.

**Agawam.** A sweet Blackberry, about the size of Snyder. Early, hardy and productive. Does not turn red after being picked. 50 cts. per doz., \$1 per 100, \$8 per 1,000.

**Eldorado.** In quality finest of all cultivated Blackberries, surpassing even the old Wachusett. Fruit is of good size, early, and the canes perfectly hardy. With us it has not been very productive, but we know of fields near by, on heavier soil, where it produces bountiful crops. 50c. per doz., \$1.50 per 100, \$12 per 1,000.

**Mersereau.** Named by Professor Bailey, of Cornell University. He thus describes it in Cornell Bulletin, No. 99: "A variety resembling Snyder, from which it was derived. Several years ago the originator noticed an extra large, strong bush among his Snyders, and began to propagate from it. He is now changing his whole plantation to this variety. It is one of the most **promising varieties** I know." The points of superiority over Snyder are given as follows: "Extreme hardiness, larger size, and greater

## BLACKBERRIES, continued.

productiveness; has less tendency to turn red after being picked, selling for 2 to 3 cents more per quart, and is of delicious quality.

Its fruiting season continues into September." Not fruited here yet. \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100.



Rathbun.

**Minnewaski.** A large late variety. Hardest of the Lawton type. Fruits until frost. 50cts. per doz., \$1.50 per 100, \$10 per 1,000.



Snyder.

**Rathbun.** We have been growing plants of this variety for some time, but have cut our stock up continually, so that we have not been able to fruit it. Our customers, who have fruited it, are very well pleased with its size, hardiness, quality and productiveness. We shall fruit it another season, and believe it a profitable variety to plant. 75 cts. per doz., \$4 per 100.

**Snyder.** Early, hardy and productive. The old reliable—always to be depended on for a crop of medium-sized berries of good quality. Probably more money has been made on this variety, in this latitude, than on all others combined. 50 cts. per doz., \$1 per 100, \$7 per 1,000.

## LUCRETIA DEWBERRY.

Properly grown and handled, this should prove profitable. Its large size, earliness and superior quality make it a very salable market fruit. It can be grown on poor land, and one crop will pay for the land several times over. 50 cts. per doz., \$1.50 per 100, \$8 per 1,000.

## OUR BLACKBERRY STOCK IS APPRECIATED.

FREDONIA, N. Y.

Dear Sirs: The box of Blackberry plants have arrived and are all right.  
Yours truly, T. S. HUBBARD CO.

Kind Friend: I am sorry we "kicked" about the price of the Snyder Blackberry. We find this was decided long ago, as thec says, but we have also decided that thy Snyders are better than we ever got from anybody else, and thank thee for the good stock sent. Very truly,  
ISAAC C. ROGERS.

South Glastonbury, Ct.

Dear Sirs: Blackberries received in nice condition last night.

Yours very truly,

J. H. H.



## CURRENTS.

Two-year, No. 1 plants, 50 cts. per doz., \$3 per 100. One-year, No. 1, \$2 per 100.

**Cherry.** The popular large red Currant of the markets. Early.

**Fay's Prolific.** Similar to above, and possibly superior in length of bunch and quantity of product.

**White Grape.** Good quality; productive.

## GOOSEBERRIES.

Two years old. Strong plants.

**Downing.** Large, green, good quality; productive. \$1 per doz., \$5 per 100.

**Houghton.** The old, well-known, small red sort. \$1 per doz., \$5 per 100.

**Red Jacket.** A strong-growing American variety. Very prolific, large fruit, excellent quality. This marks a decided forward step in Gooseberry culture. \$1 per doz., \$7 per 100.

**Columbus and Pearl.** Same price as Red Jacket.

## GRAPES.

Two years old. Extra strong vines.

From the seventy varieties of Grapes which we have been growing, we have selected the following as varieties to be depended on every season in our New England climate to furnish an abundance of fruit of desirable quality. If to be sent by mail, add 5 cents per vine for postage.

**Brighton.** The best red Grape in cultivation. Bunch and berry medium size. Superior quality. 10 cts. each.

**Campbell's Early.** A very large, promising, early black Grape of good eating and keeping qualities. Worthy of trial. 50 cts. each.

**Catawba.** The old popular red Grape. Matures in sheltered locations in southern New England. 10 cts. each.

**Conecord.** The old black favorite. Succeeds everywhere. 10 cts. each.



*Brighton.*

## GRAPES, continued.

**Delaware.** A small red Grape of finest flavor. 10 cts. each.

**Diamond** (Moore's). Almost transparent; large, early, hardy, sweet and juicy. 10 cts. each.

**Green Mountain.** Very early, sweet and prolific. Bunch and berry medium to small in size. Color greenish white. Should be in every family collection. 35 cts. each.

**Isabella.** Succeeds here in sheltered locations. Finest quality and very productive. Late. 10 cts. each.

**Niagara.** Large, mid-season; greenish white; popular, fair quality, and quite productive. 10 cts. each.

**Pocklington.** Similar to Niagara in size, but a trifle yellower in color, later in season and more foxy in flavor. 10 cts. each.

**Worden.** Resembles Concord. Earlier and of better quality. 10 cts. each.

## QUINCES.

**Orange and Champion.** First-class trees,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 feet, of either variety, 25 cts. each.

## APPLES.

First-class trees, 5 to 7 feet, 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz., \$18 per 100.

Ripening in order named.

**Summer.** Yellow Transparent, Sweet Bough, Early Harvest, Red Astrachan, Golden Sweet.

**Autumn**—Gravenstein, Porter, Maiden's Blush, Wealthy, Red Bietigheimer, Fall Pippin, Rolfe, Fameuse.

**Winter**—Bellflower, R. I. Greening, Talman's Sweet, York Imperial, Spitzenberg, Northern Spy, Peck's Pleasant, King, Hubbardston, Baldwin, Wolfe River, Fallwater, Sutton Beauty, Stark, Ben Davis, Roxbury Russet.

**CRAB APPLE, Hyslop.** First-class, 25 cts. each.

GRIZZLY FLATS, CALIFORNIA.

Dear Sirs: The Blackcaps reached us in fine shape.

With great respect,

S. L. WATKINS.

CONNECTICUT, April 29, 1899.

Gentlemen: Strawberries, vines, etc., came safely today. You have dealt more liberally with me than I asked, and I am pleased to acknowledge the obligation. Very truly,

L. W. CAMP.

May 6, 1899.

Dear Sirs: The strawberry plants received in fine condition, and packed in baskets, which is much better than jamming them into a small box, as many do. Many thanks for your promptness in filling my order and for the excellent count, also the extra 50 Rio plants. Very truly yours,

GEO. C. SPOONER.

Dear Sirs: The 1,000 strawherry plants arrived in good condition and look as if they might amount to something. Many thanks for your prompt attention to my order. Will recommend your firm.]

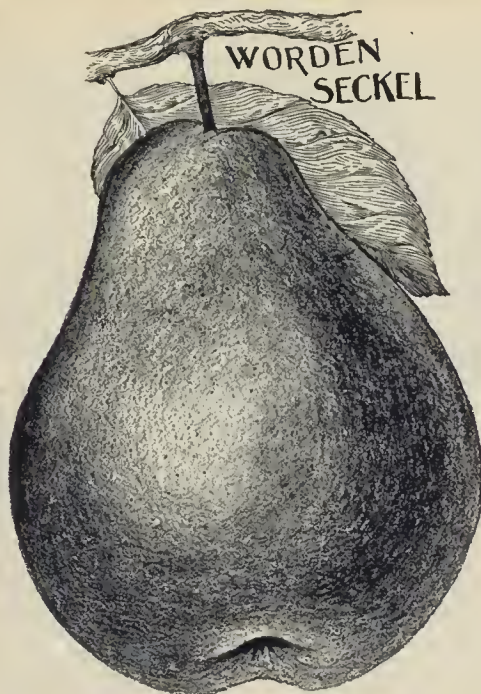
CHAS. H. POTTER.

BROADWAY, NEW YORK, May 11, 1899.

Dear Sirs: Enclosed find check in payment for bill of goods. Your goods are all right and I want to do some business with you in the future.

Respectfully yours,

E. C. WARREN



## STANDARD PEARS.

First-class trees, 5 to 7 feet, 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.

Ripening in order named.

Doyenne d'Ete, Clapp's Favorite, Bartlett, Seckel, Howell, Bose, Sheldon, Lawrence, Anjou, Kleffer.

**Worden-Seckel.** A seedling of Seckel, originated by Sylvester Worden, of Worden grape fame. Mr. S. D. Willard, of Geneva, says: "I do not think there can be any mistake in calling this Pear the standard of excellence, so far as good eating Pears are concerned. When this is disseminated, the world will have a better Pear than it has ever known before." First-class trees, 50c. each.

MASSACHUSETTS, April 23, 1899.

*Dear Sirs:* My stock arrived promptly, in good condition. I consider it the finest lot of nursery stock I ever received.

Yours truly,

F. P. STROUT.

FREDERICK CITY, MARYLAND.

*Dear Sirs:* Received vines 17th, O. K. Respectfully, GEO. A. PAISLEY.



*Windsor Cherries.*

## CHERRIES.

First-class trees, 5 to 7 feet, 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz.

**Black Tartarian.** Large, rich, sweet.

**Coe's Transparent.** White, sweet, large.

**Early Richmond.** Large, red, sour.

**Governor Wood.** Large, sweet, red and white.

**Large Montmorency.** Large, red. The best sour Cherry.

**Olivet.** Large, red, sour. Earlier than either Richmond or Montmorency.

**Schmidt's.** Black, extra size and quality.

**Yellow Spanish.** Large, rich, excellent.

**Windsor.** Strong grower ; large, rich, black fruit.



## PEACHES.

First-class trees, 5 to 7 feet, 15 cts. each, \$1.25 per doz., \$8 per 100;  
second size trees, 3 1-2 to 5 feet, 10 cts. each, \$1 per doz., \$6 per 100;  
third size trees, under 3 1-2 feet, \$4 per 100.

A few of the hardiest varieties of good quality, most reliable for New England, ripening in order named. All freestones except Triumph, which is partially free.

**Triumph.** Ripens with Alexander; large, yellow, handsome, and of good quality. We do not advise setting it largely.

**Early Rivers.** White, with pink cheek. Flesh rich and melting.

**Carman.** Said to be "rot and curculio-proof, as large and productive as Elberta, as early as Early Rivers, of good quality and a fine shipper." A Peach with so many exalted qualities deserves a trial in a limited way.

**Mountain Rose.** Of finest quality; large, white with red cheek; productive and very popular in market.

**Champion.** Similar to Oldmixon, but two weeks earlier; more inclined to rot and slightly inclined to cling.

**Connecticut.** A large yellow Peach, ripening just ahead of Early Crawford. Very hardy, and of the best quality. Sure to become a popular local Peach, if not for general cultivation.

**Fitzgerald.** Of Canadian origin. Said to be large in size, of magnificent quality, very early, a splendid shipper, exceedingly hardy and productive, and a perfect freestone. Four Peaches weighed two pounds.

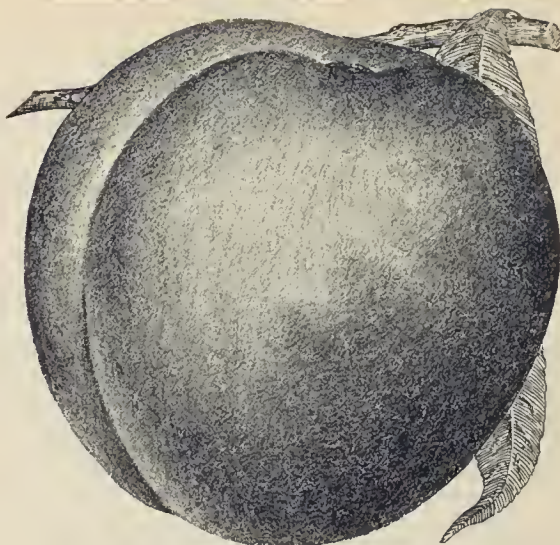
**Early Crawford.** Very large, yellow; good quality. A very popular Peach.

**Reeves' Favorite.** A very large yellow Peach of finest quality. Until the introduction of Elberta, has been our most profitable yellow variety.

**Foster.** An extra large yellow variety, but has been inclined to rot with us, and very slightly inclined to cling.



*Connecticut.*

*Emma Peach.*

**Oldmixon.** Large, white, with blush cheek. Extremely productive, popular and profitable.

**Elberta.** This extremely large, light yellow Peach has proved a money-maker wherever planted. Of fair quality, and as a keeper it has no equal, making it very popular with the marketmen. Very hardy and productive.

**Emma.** Same origin as Elberta, and quite similar in appearance. A trifle later, and of better quality.

**Late Crawford.** Very large; skin greenish yellow, with dull red cheek; flesh yellow. One of the best and most popular.

**Stump.** Large, creamy white with red cheek; of high flavor, productive, popular and profitable.

**Stephen's Rareripe.** Large; white, shaded with red; flesh white, vinous and of high quality. Hardy.

**Fox Seedling.** A valuable late Peach; of good size and quality, and an excellent shipper.

We recommend the first-sized tree as the most satisfactory to buy. The crop grown on one tree will often pay the extra price on one hundred.

#### NOT USED TO HAVING STOCK TALLY WITH DESCRIPTION.

NEW JERSEY, May 2.  
*Dear Sirs:* Your consignment of trees received in good order and promptly. Excellent trees and best of packing. A better shipment than I anticipated.  
 Yours truly, L. W. HART.

CONNECTICUT, Apr. 17.  
*Dear Sirs:* The Peach trees were received in perfect order and I found them very nice ones. Shall want more of your stock in the future.  
 Yours very truly, CORNELIUS ANDREWS.

# PLUMS.

## EUROPEAN PLUMS.

First-class trees, 5 to 7 feet, 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.

The good qualities of the Japanese varieties are fast crowding these old friends out. We offer a few of the best.

**Bradshaw.** Large, early, purple; good quality. August.

**Coe's Golden Drop.** Large, sweet. September.

**German Prune.** Of medium size, purple, juicy, rich, fine. September.

**Guil.** Large, purple, of fair quality. September.

**Lombard.** Medium, red; productive, popular. August.

**Quackenboss.** Large, purple. September.

**Reine Claude.** A fine late Plum; green. September.

**Shropshire Damson.** The best Damson; small; purple; popular for preserving. October.

## JAPANESE PLUMS.

All Plums are budded on Plum roots, and prices are as follows, except where noted:

First-class trees, 5 to 6 feet, 25 cts. each, \$2.50 for 12, \$18 per 100; second size, 4 to 5 feet, 20 cts. each, \$2 for 12, \$15 per 100.

These Plums are deservedly attracting much attention at present, as their quality is much better than at first supposed, and the trees are not subject to black knot. The fruit is more free from rot and suffers less from curculio than our common Plums.

We have shipped these Plums in ordinary crates as far east as Lewiston, Maine, and as far west as Urbana, Ill. All report fruit as arriving in perfect condition. Our fruit has been shipped to every state in New England, and the markets are now ready for a liberal supply. Buy your trees from those who have growing orchards, and know what varieties they are sending out. The benefit of our practical experience is always at our customers' service. Ask questions and advice freely.

**Abundance.** A large, handsome Plum of superb quality. The

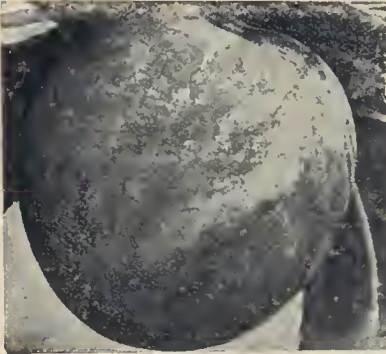


*Abundance.*

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past season it sold readily in our markets for double the price of California Plums, and easily had the preference when it became known. The fruit is a beautiful amber color, turning to

a rich cherry, with a white bloom. Flesh light yellow, exceedingly tender and juicy, and very highly perfumed. Season, early August. Tree a handsome, upright grower.



*Burbank.*

**Burbank.** A very productive, large, handsome and popular variety. Our trees of this variety, when loaded with ripe fruit, presented the handsomest fruit picture it was ever our privilege to look upon. *The Rural New-Yorker* of September 18, 1897, says: "The handsomest Plums we have ever seen were sent to us by Butler & Jewell, nurserymen, of Cromwell, Conn.—

Burbanks. They were all about the same size, and measured  $6\frac{1}{2}$  inches either way in circumference, being, therefore, nearly round. In quality they seemed a shade better than Abundance, while resembling it in color of flesh, juiciness, and meatiness."

**NOTE.**—The above comparison is hardly fair, as our Burbanks were compared with someone else's Abundance. Ninety-five per cent of our customers said our Abundance Plums were even better than our Burbanks,—in fact called them the very best eating Plums they ever tasted.

**Chabot.** (Also sold under the names Chase, Bailey, Yellow Japan, Botankio, Hattankio, O'Hattankio, Furugiya, and Orient.) Medium to large, handsome fruit, which sells readily at top prices. Comes at a convenient season for canning—September. It resembles our European Plums when canned. **An extra good keeper.** We cannot recommend this Plum too highly. We are setting trees of it by the thousand in our orchards, and advise all who wish good Plums



*Chabot.*





*The largest of the very early Japanese Plums—Lutts.*

#### PLUMS, continued.

and good dollars to plant it liberally. Tree a handsome, upright grower. The flesh of the Plum is juicy, rich and delicious.

**Engre.** The earliest Japanese Plum of any value. Color light red, flesh yellow, cling, sour; skin tough; shape round, somewhat flattened endwise; quality best of its season. Mid-July. Quite productive and attractive. Earliness is its chief recommendation.

**Hale.** An extremely vigorous tree, producing fair-sized, greenish yellow Plums of superior quality. Trees have not been productive with us; may do better further south or when they are older here. Mid-August.

**Lutts.** This excellent Plum was sent out under the name of Wasse Botankio, but to avoid perpetuating confusion with numerous other Wasses and Botankios, it has been renamed. This is the largest and best very Early Japanese Plum so far tested in the northern states. Fruit round-oblate, much like Burbank in form and appearance, but smaller. Flesh yellow, soft, cling, of good quality. Closely follows Engre in season. Tree a good grower and productive.

**Georgeson** (White Kelsey, Mikado, Yeddo). Fruit medium to large, yellow, with whitish bloom; flesh firm, solid and of fine quality. A long keeper. Season about with Burbank. Tree a rather better grower than Burbank, but inclined to sprawl.

**Red June** (Red Nagate, Nagate No Botankio). Of medium size when well thinned; flesh yellow, cling, firm, juicy, slightly acid, of fair quality but not rich. One of the best medium-early varieties, being hardy, productive and attractive. Tree a slow upright grower of very distinct type. Late July.

NEW LONDON CO., CONN., May 13, 1899.

Dear Sirs: Trees arrived yesterday, in good order.

Yours truly,

E. A. HOXIE.

## PLUMS, continued.

**Satsuma** (Blood Plum, Yonemomo). Fruit large when properly thinned, round-oblong with blunt point and deep suture; color dull brown-red, mottled with greenish dots; flesh hard and blood-red. Satsuma seldom becomes edible with us, but for **canning or preserving it has no equal.** We have yet to learn of a single party who has once had the fruit who did not **demand it for succeeding seasons.** Always brings highest price in market.



*Wickson—the largest of the hardy varieties.*

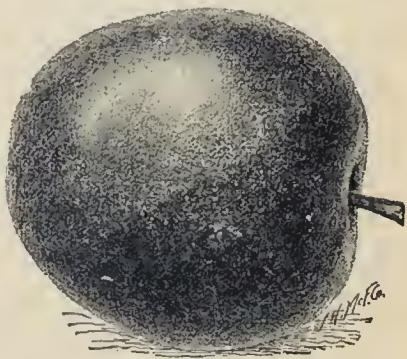
**Wickson.** Fruit very large, long, heart-shaped, with deep suture; color deep maroon-red, sometimes lighter; pit small; flesh firm and meaty, yellow, rich and aromatic, with a slight

lemon flavor; cling; tree a narrow, upright grower, like Simonii. Professor Bailey and Professor Vaughn believe Simonii to be one of its parents, although Mr. Burbank introduced it as a Burbank-Kelsey cross. From the character of the foliage, bloom and fruit, the habit of growth and method of fruit-bearing, we should say it is a cross of Kelsey and Simonii. So far it has been a shy bearer with us, but we look for greater productiveness as the trees increase in age. Perfectly hardy here. September.

### NEW JAPANESE VARIETIES.

These, with exception of Excelsior, all belong to Mr. Burbank's "**latest and best**" contributions, and the descriptions are not our own, none of the varieties having fruited except in California.

**America.** "This giant Plum is a Robinson-Botan cross. In



*New Plum, "America."*

## PLUMS, continued.

growth and general appearance the tree is like the American Chickasaw Plums. The fruit is larger than the average Japans and

4 to 16 times as large as Robinson or Marianna. Fruit a beautiful, glossy coral-red; flesh yellow and very delicious. Ripens two weeks before Burbank."

S. D. Willard says of America: "One of the finest Plums I ever tasted; while its color is so attractive as to make it nearly irresistible."

The tree has made a good growth here and seems hardy. 75c.

**Apple.** "Tree a very fine, strong grower, with peculiar light brown bark. The

fruit, which is about  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches in diameter, is striped and mottled until nearly ripe, when it turns to a deep reddish purple. The superlatively rich, high-flavored, sweet or subacid flesh is rather firm, pale red, with streaks of pink; nearly freestone. Ripens soon after Burbank, and sometimes keeps a month or more." Its growth here is similar to Burbank's. 75 cts.

**Chaleo.** "A Simonii-Burbank cross. A tremendous grower of unsurpassed productiveness. Ripens before Burbank, is large, flat like a tomato, deep reddish purple; flesh very sweet, firm and fragrant. The fruits are as stemless as a peach, and completely surround the older branches, like kernels on a huge ear of corn. A superior shipping Plum, as it ripens well when picked green and keeps nearly or quite a month. Chalco is the fore-



*New Plum, "Apple."*



*Chalco.*

## PLUMS, continued.

runner of a new hardy race of Plums, more of which are on the way." 75 cts.

**Climax.** "The (1899) best selection from a great number of Simonii-Botan hybrids. Fruit heart-shaped, as large as Wickson, more highly colored, and so fragrant that a whole house is perfumed by a single fruit; as delicious as could be desired and, above all, ripens before any other good Plum. Tree extremely vigorous, of rather upright growth, with strong branches, prominent buds, and very large leaves. The very picture of hearty vigor. As productive as Burbank, with Plums four times as large and two weeks earlier."

This seems to be spread on pretty thick, but we have thinned it a trifle from the original. Mr. Burbank has strong commendation for Climax from Prof.

Waugh, Secretary Le-long, Prof. Van Deman, S. F. Leib, Geo. H. Clayson and other prominent horticulturists. \$2 each; one-year trees only.



*Sultan.*

**Doris.** This was introduced three years ago as "of finest quality." It has not fruited here yet, but has made stocky growth and appears hardy. Possibly the fruit has been mistaken for cherries where fruited. 50 cts.

**Excelsior.** Origin Florida. A Kelsey-Wild Goose hybrid. Medium size, round, pointed, dark red, cling; quality very

good. Not fully tested at the north. 25 cts.

**October Purple.** This "latest and best" was introduced last season by Stephen Hoyt's Sons. It certainly is a very strong grower and appears hardy. Said to be a large round late purple Plum, especially recommended for late market. The variety is promising and deserves a fair trial. \$1.

**Sultan.** "This huge, oval, deep purplish crimson fruit is generally thought by those who have tested it to be the very best, or one of the best, Plums produced.

"The flesh is remarkably firm and solid, fragrant, subacid or sweet, dark crimson, beautifully clouded and shaded with light pink, salmon and light yellow; showing in the fruit a curious combination of ancestral dynamics.

"Remarkable for the great proportion of flesh compared with the diminutive seed. The tree grows very rapidly, but is compact;



## PLUMS—SULTAN, continued.

has wood and leaves as much like the Napoleon cherry as like a Plum. Exceedingly productive, ripening a week before Burbank; falls like apples as soon as ripe; a great keeper.

"A basket of these Plums would attract instant attention anywhere by their unusual size and remarkable beauty of form and color."

Prof. Van Deman says, in *The Rural New-Yorker*: "Sultan is my choice of all the new Plums which I have tested. It is a cross between Wickson and Satsuma. It is large, being over two inches in diameter and nearly round in shape. The surface is smooth, dark wine-red or garnet and very handsome. The flesh is garnet color, too, and rich-looking. In flavor it is excellent, being tart enough, yet not sour, but a delicious subacid. No Plum that I have eaten is better, and when cooked it could scarcely be equaled. It has all the high flavor of Satsuma when cooked, and Satsuma has heretofore been rated far above all other Plums for cooking. The season of Sultan is at least a month earlier. The tree is very fruitful. I look for this Plum to take a high place in public favor." \$2 each; 1-year trees only.

## GARDEN ROOTS.

**ASPARAGUS.** This vegetable grows more popular with each returning season, and is proving very profitable to many growers. There are not plants enough in the country to supply the demand this season, and those who put off ordering until late will undoubtedly be disappointed. The difference in varieties is largely a matter of imagination and cultivation. We offer **Palmetto** and **Conover's Colossal**, first-class plants, 25 cts. per doz., 60 cts. per 100, \$4 per 1,000.

**RHUBARB, Linneaus.** \$1 per doz.

**HORSE-RADISH.** 50 cts. per doz., \$2.50 per 100.

CONNECTICUT, May 2, 1899.

Gentlemen: The Plum trees came promptly and are very fine,—much better than I expected. Truly yours,

G. R. WARNER.

April 16th.

Gentlemen: Trees arrived all O. K., and are satisfactory in every way. Yours truly,

W. H. NOTT.

MASSACHUSETTS, April 9th.

Gentlemen: The trees and plants came promptly and in good condition. I am surprised and pleased with the quality of your stock, as well as with the prices. While I don't know where in Connecticut Cromwell is, geographically speaking, it is enough to know that it is the best place for me to buy good, thrifty stock at reasonable prices, and it will be a pleasure to refer parties looking for good stock to your firm. Very truly yours,

E. C. DAVIS.

CONNECTICUT, May 9, 1899.

Gentlemen: The trees arrived in good shape and are very satisfactory. Enclosed find check in settlement of bill. Think we can deal again in the future. Yours truly,

W. A. PEASE.

NEW HAMPSHIRE, May 5.

Dear Sirs: I received the trees April 29, in good condition, and wish I had ordered more. Yours truly,

G. H. ESTEY.

## HARDY ROSES.

Strong 2-year field-grown plants of any variety, 25 cts. each.

A select list of the very best old and new varieties.

**Rosa Rugosa**, or **Japanese Rose**. Very large, showy, single flowers on particularly attractive bush. **Red and White**.

**Ramblers, Yellow, White, Pink and Crimson**. The finest of Climbing Roses.

**Margaret Dickson**. White; center pale flesh.

**Earl of Dufferin**. Crimson-red, shaded with dark maroon.

**Marshall P. Wilder**. Cherry carmine.

**Mrs. John Laing**. Satiny pink.

**Wichuraiana**. Trailing. Clusters of single white flowers.

**Alfred Colomb**. Carmine-crimson.

**Coquette des Blanches**. White; sometimes blush.

**General Jacqueminot**. Crimson.

**John Hopper**. Rose and carmine.

**La France**. Silvery red.

**Madam Plantier**. White.

**Magna Charta**. Pink and carmine.

**Paul Neyron**. Deep rose.

**Persian Yellow**.

**Vick's Caprice**. Pink, striped white and carmine.

### MOSS ROSES.

**Princess Adelaide**. Pale rose.

**Crested Moss**. Deep pink.

**Gracilis**. Deep pink.

### CLIMBING ROSES.

**Baltimore Belle**. Blush.

**Seven Sisters**. Blush.

**Queen of the Prairies**. Red.

**Helene**. A seedling of Crimson Rambler, with larger flowers. Color soft violet-rose.

**Little White Pet**. Blooms continuously.

**Empress of India**. Dark red in bud, changing to pink. Blooms until fall.

**Russell's Cottage**. Dark crimson.



*Crimson Rambler.*

## LORD PENZANCE HYBRID SWEET-BRIERS.

These lovely hybrids are certainly a great acquisition. The foliage is deliciously scented like the parent Sweetbrier. The flowers are of the most beautiful tints, and produced in profusion. Hardy in most exposed situations.

**Amy Robsart.** Deep rose.

**Anne of Geierstein.** Dark crimson.

**Brenda.** Peach; very dainty.

**Green Mantle.** Bright pink, with band of white.

**Lady Penzance.** Soft copper; wonderful grower.

**Lord Penzance.** Fawn, with yellow center; sometimes toned with delicate pink.



*Hydrangea paniculata grandiflora.*

## HARDY SHRUBS.

## A SELECT LIST OF THE VERY BEST.

25 cts. each, except where noted.

**ALTHEAS,** Double-flowering Red, White, Purple and Blue. 3 to 4 feet.

**ALMOND,** Double-flowering, Pink and White. 3 to 4 feet.

**DEUTZIA gracilis.** Dwarf white;  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 feet.

**FORSYTHIA,** Golden Bell. 2 to 3 feet.

**HYDRANGEA paniculata grandiflora.**  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 feet. Tree Form, 3 to 4 feet, 50 cts.

**LILAC,** White and Purple. 3 to 4 feet.

**JAPANESE TREE PEONIES.** Assorted colors. \$1.

**BANKSII TREE PRONY.** Rosy-blush. 75 cts.

**SNOWBALL,** Common and Japanese. 2 to 3 feet.

**FRINGE,** Purple and White. 3 to 4 feet. 50 cts. each.

**PLUM,** Double-flowering. 3 to 4 feet.

**ELAEAGNUS longipes.** Yellow flowers, red fruit.  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 ft.

**RHODODENDRONS.** Hardy named hybrids;  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 ft. Scarlet, Pink, Rose, Red, White and Purple. \$1.50 each.

## CLIMBING SHRUBS.

**HONEYSUCKLE** — Hall's Japan, Monthly Fragrant, Chinese Twining and Scarlet Trumpet. 25 cts. each.

**WISTARIA**, Chinese Purple and Chinese White. 2-yr., \$1 ea.

**AMPELOPSIS Veitchii** (Japan Ivy). 2-year, strong, 35c.

**VIRGINIA CREEPER**. 25c.

**CLEMATIS** — Jackmanni (purple), Henryi (white), Paniculata (white and delightfully fragrant), Duchess of Edinburgh (double white), Graveolens (bright yellow), Madame Baron Veillard (light rose), Madame Edward Andre (crimson), Ramona (lavender-blue), General Grant (reddish violet). 35 cts. ea.

## HERBACEOUS PEONIES.

Large tubers, 25 cts. each.

These handsome plants are absolutely hardy everywhere, have no insect enemies, and increase in beauty from year to year. We are surprised that no more of these old garden favorites are grown. The finer and newer varieties should delight everyone, as the perfection of flower and variety of color have been carried to a high degree. They are well adapted for cutting, as they are rivals of the rose, and are in accord with the present taste and style in floral decorations.



*Pæony.*

**Amabilis grandiflora**. White; very large, fine and sweet.

**Chinensis alba**. Fine large pure white flowers.

**Comte de Manteuil**. Dark rose; very large and double.

**Festiva maxima**. Creamy white, with small center of carmine; early; blooms in clusters.

**Gloire de Donai**. Deep crimson, with purplish tinge.

**Grandiflora rosea**. Light rose.

**Humeii**. Rose; full, large; late.

**Noblissima**. Lilac-pink, shaded darker.

**Officinalis rubra**. Red; early.

**Papaveriflora**. Outer petals pure white, inner tinged yellow.

**Rosea plenissima superba**. Bright rosy pink; very desirable; large and double.

**Triumph du Nord**. Violet-rose, with lilac shading.

**Variegated**. Pink and salmon.

**Whitleyi**. White; large.

## LILIES.

Good Bulbs, 25 cts. each.

**Auratum**. Gold-banded Japan.

**Batemannii**. Apricot-tinted flowers. July.

**Harrisii**. Easter Lily.

**Candidum**. Common white.

**Longiflorum**. White; fragrant.

**Speciosum album**. White.

**Speciosum rubrum**. White, red spotted. August.

**Double Tiger Lily**.

## LILY-OF-THE-VALLEY.

50 cts. per dozen pips.



*Purity Dahlia.*

## DAHLIAS.

Strong Roots, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz., except where noted.

We have nearly four hundred distinct named varieties of Dahlias, including the newest and handsomest varieties in cultivation. We have perhaps the best assortment in Connecticut, if not in New England. We list a few of the best and most popular varieties and will quote prices on others on application.

### SHOW DAHLIAS.

**Queen Victoria.** Yellow. 10c.  
**Marchioness of Bute.** Pink.  
10 cts.

**Fire King.** 10 cts.

**Purity.** White.

**Dandy.** Dark pink, speckled  
and striped; sometimes solid color.

**Ruby Queen.**

**Frank Smith.** Variegated.

**Burgundy.** Purple-maroon,  
flamed crimson; very large.

**John Walker.** Pure white.

**A. D. Lavoni.** Soft pink.

**Density.** Deep pink; rightly  
named.

**Jas. Vick.** Dark rich purple.

**Mrs. Gladstone.** Delicate shell-  
pink.

**Wacht am Rhein.** Crimson-  
purple.

**Apple Blossoms.** Derives its  
name from its color.

**Fern-Leaved Beauty.** Striped  
crimson and white.

### POMPON DAHLIAS.

**Guiding Star.** Dwarf white;  
profuse bloomer. 10 cts.

**Daybreak.** Flesh-colored. One  
of the finest.

**Catharine.** Best pure yellow.

**Eleganta.** Considered the fin-  
est pink Pompon.

**Snowclad.** A favorite white.

**Fairy Queen.** Light sulphur-  
yellow, edged deep peach. A pro-  
fuse bloomer with long stems.

**Leila.** Flesh-colored, mottled  
and splashed crimson; sometimes  
solid color.



*New Dahlias—Cactus types predominating.*

### CACTUS DAHLIAS.

**Zulu.** Darkest maroon. rocts.  
**Pearl.** White.  
**Nymphæa.** Pink.  
**Maid of Kent.** Scarlet.  
**Red and Black.**  
**Iridescent.** Odd and indescribable. 25 cts.  
**Clifford W. Bruton.** Yellow. 25 cts.

**Wm. Agnew.** The grandest red Dahlia.

**Countess of Pembroke.** Delicate rosy lavender.

**Grand Duke Alexis.** Pure white, tinted pink. A grand and unique variety.

**La Favorite.** The finest pure white cactus Dahlia to date. 25c.

**Gloriosa.** Deep bright red.

**Mrs. Peart.** Creamy white.

*Apr. 25th.*  
*Gentlemen:* I received trees and plants in fine shape. I never handled better stock than that you sent me, and shall be pleased to recommend you to any one needing anything in your line.

Very truly yours, NATH'L SLOCOMBE, Gardener.

## SINGLE DAHLIAS.

**Irene.** White, suffused bright pink, spotted and striped deep crimson. 25 cts.

**Titan.** Large; bright orange-scarlet. 25 cts.

**Corinne.** Striped yellow and scarlet, sometimes clear scarlet.

**Paragon.** Maroon.

**Harold.** Black maroon.

**Snow Queen.** Best pure white. Exquisite.

**Little Dorothy.** Ground-color rich golden straw-color, overlaid and suffused delicate pink, and spotted, penciled and striped deep, rich crimson. Profuse bloomer, very attractive and free in bloom. 25 cts.

## GLADIOLUS.

Our fields of these beautiful flowers attracted much attention and were the admiration of visitors for weeks last summer. People came from miles away to see such a vast number of spikes in bloom at once.

We have a very fine mixture of the finest varieties, light and bright colors predominating. 35 cts. per doz., \$1.50 per 100, \$12 per 1 000.

## MIXED JAPAN IRIS.

Much handsomer than the German. Very fine mixture. \$1.50 per doz.

## RUDBECKIA, GOLDEN GLOW.

A beautiful, tall-growing hardy perennial, that forms a great bush of glowing, golden yellow flowers. 15 cts. each, 2 for 25 cts., 6 for 50 cts.

## SHADE TREES.

**Poplar, Carolina.** 10 to 12 feet. \$1 each.

**Elm, American and Scotch.** 12 to 15 feet. \$1 each.

**Magnolia acuminata** (Cucumber Tree). 8 to 10 feet. \$1 each.

**Ash, White and European.** 10 to 12 feet. \$1 each.

**Oak, American White, Pyramidal and English.** 4 to 6 feet. \$1 each.

**Maple, Sugar.** 12 to 15 ft. \$1 ea.

## EVERGREENS.

Transplanted.

**Arborvitæ, American.** 1 foot, \$2; 2 feet, \$3; 3 feet, \$4; 4 feet, \$5; 5 feet, \$8 per doz.

**Cypress, Lawson's.** 2 to 3 feet. 75 cts. each.

**Fir, Silver.** 2 to 3 feet. 50 cts. each.

**Fir, Nordmann's.** 2 to 3 feet. \$1.50 each.

**Juniper, Irish.** 2 to 3 feet. 50 cts. each.

**Pine, Austrian and Scotch.** 3 to 4 feet. 50 cts. each.

**Spruce, Norway.** 3 to 4 feet. 50 cts. each.

**Spruce, Douglas and Colorado Blue.** 2 to 3 feet. \$2 each.

## FLOWERING TREES.

**Bechtel's Double-flowering Crab.** A medium-sized tree of great beauty. When in bloom, presents the appearance of being covered with roses. Flowers fragrant and of immense size. 3 to 5 feet. 50 cts. each.

**Horse-Chestnut, Single White, Double White and Double Red.** 4 to 5 feet. \$1 ea.

**Double-flowering Peach, Red, Pink and White.** 4 to 5 feet. 50 cts. each.

**Dogwood, Red and White.** 5 to 6 feet. \$1 each.

**Thorn, Double White and Scarlet.** 4 to 5 feet. 50 cts. each.

**Catalpa, speciosa and Bungei.** 6 to 8 feet. \$1 each.

**Magnolia, conspicua and speciosa.** 3 to 4 feet. \$1 each.

## WEeping TREES.

**Cut-leaved Birch.** 5 to 6 feet.  
50 cts. each.

**Young's Weeping Birch.** 4  
to 5 feet. \$1 each.

**Pendula elegans.** 3 to 4 feet.  
\$1.50 each.

**Weir's Cut-leaved Maple.**  
5 to 6 feet. 75 cts. each.

**Japan Cherry.** 4 to 6 ft. \$1.50.

**Beech.** 4 to 5 feet. \$2 each.

**Kilmarnock Willow.** 2-yr.  
heads, 50 cts. each.

**European Ash.** 2-yr. heads,  
\$1 each.

**Mountain Ash.** 2-yr. heads,  
75 cts. each.

**Camperdown Elm.** 2-yr.  
heads, \$1 each.

**Fulva pendula.** 2-yr. heads,  
\$1 each.

**Teas' Mulberry.** 2-yr. heads,  
\$1.25 each.

**Cornus (Dogwood).** 2-yr.  
heads, \$1 each.

## OTHER ORNAMENTAL TREES.

**Mountain Ash, European and  
Oak-leaved.** 5 to 6 feet. 50 cts.

**Maidenhair Tree.** 4 to 6  
feet. 50 cts. each.

**Purple-leaved Beech.** 4 to 6  
feet. \$1 each.

**Fern-leaved Beech.** 3 to 4  
feet. \$1.50 each.

**Purple-leaved Birch.** 3 to 4  
feet. \$1 each.

**Purple-leaved Plum.** 4 to 6  
feet. 35 cts. each.



## THE "OUT-O'-SIGHT" MOLE TRAP.

The best Mole Trap ever offered, to which thousands will testify. It has only to be tried to be appreciated.

We know this trap is a terror to Moles. We secured one last August, and have had it hanging in the packing-house ever since. Seems to cure as promptly as the sight of the dentist does a small boy with toothache.

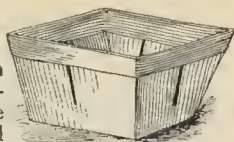
*Price \$1; Postage 25 cents.*

Sent for \$1 if ordered with other goods.

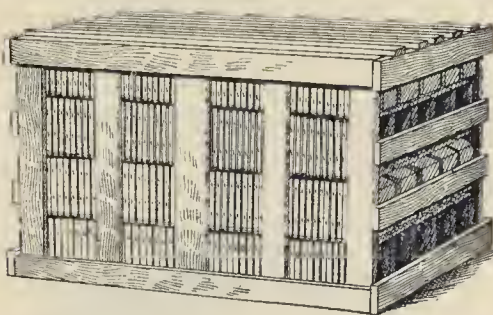


## Standard Quart Baskets.

Our Quart Berry Baskets are made on the Cobden Stapling Machine, from selected poplar, and are bound with white birch, making the whitest, neatest, and strongest basket on the market, the white birch binder being extremely tough. Baskets are seasoned before they are crated.



*Standard Quart Basket.*



*1,000 Quart Baskets in a package.*

**PRICE, \$3.50 per 1,000, \$30 per 10,000.** Special price on carloads and large orders sent in early.

## Peach Baskets.

We offer the standard Peach Basket of new Jersey and Connecticut, known as the "16-QUART," and holding 14 to 15 quarts.

**PRICE, \$4.50 per 100, \$38 per 1,000.** Special prices on car-lots

**PONY PEACH BASKET.**—Holds about 6 quarts; same style as "Standard," and same price.

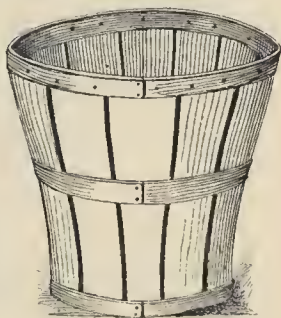
## Oval Pints.

This is a very popular basket for shipping raspberries. The standard 32-quart crate can be used, sixty baskets filling a crate. This saves the buyer from an outlay for pint crates.



*Oval Pint.*

**PRICE, per 1,000, \$3.50.**



*Board-bottom Peach Basket.*

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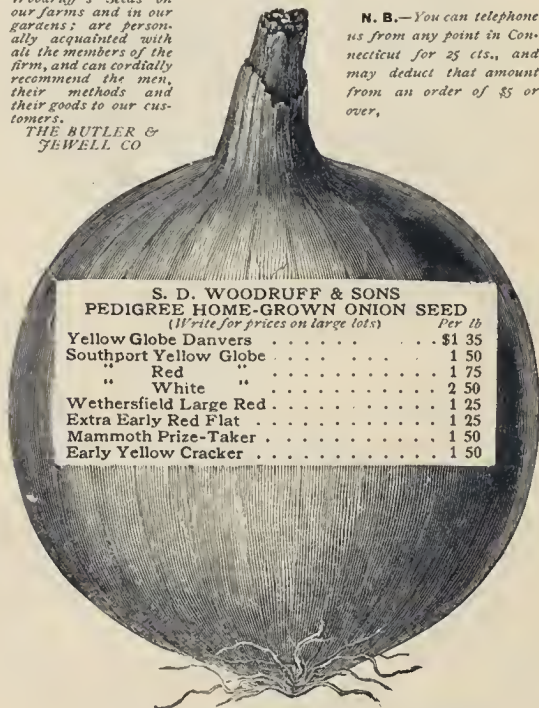
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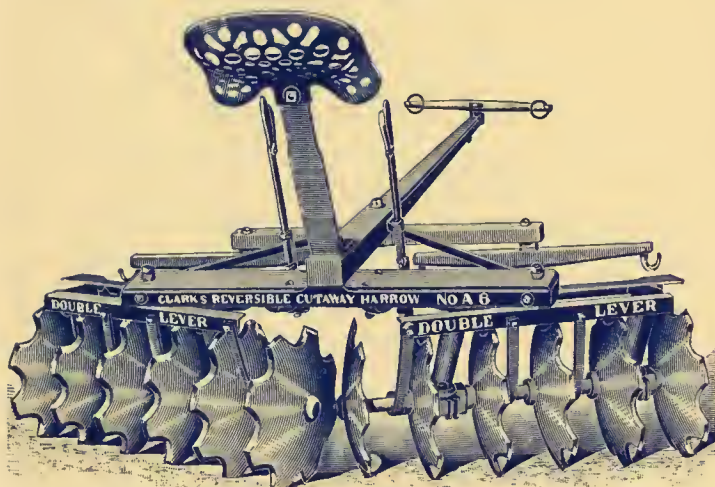


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